

PLAINFIELD

Report of Last Meeting of Local W. C. T. U.

The last meeting of the local union of the Woman's Christian Temperance union was held with Mrs. C. P. Kellogg. The beautiful weather was favorable to a good attendance and we were pleased to see so many ladies present.

The opening exercises were conducted by the president, Mrs. Colby. The secretary explained the "every member" subscription price of 25 cents to Home Guards and it is hoped that every member of the union will take advantage of this special rate. We learn from the activities of the society throughout the state. More subscriptions to the Union Signal would be of great benefit to us all. A large portion of the time was given to the most excellent reports of the delegates sent to the county convention recently held in Barre. We are rather proud to note that so many of the officers are held by our own members.

Some of the thoughts brought home to that convention were that we ought to make friends of the editors so they will be willing to print the truth concerning the activities of the W. C. T. U. and give space for items of interest to this work. One spoke of the growth of the society as evidenced in the change of the motto from "For God and Home and Native Land" to this: "For God and Home and Every Land."

A prominent feature of our work is Americanization and three large centers are maintained for teaching foreigners how to become true Americans. The importance of securing officers who will enforce the eighteenth amendment was mentioned because the world is looking to this country to see whether similar laws would be worth while for themselves. Scientific temperance instruction in schools was a great factor in bringing about the eighteenth amendment and it is important to continue that instruction in these days. This instruction was introduced into the schools of Massachusetts first and by a woman. The W. C. T. U. supports the only woman who is allowed to go on board immigrant ships before they land. She is able to speak eight languages and gives much valuable help and instruction to people coming to this country for the first time. She is able to send unprotected girls to safe places, and inasmuch as 85,000 girls are "lost" every year in this country, that is no small service.

The International Temperance congress is another good thing the W. C. T. U. has brought about, to which delegates from many countries come. The one from China made a stirring appeal that America should not allow brewers to go to China and establish their business because China has only just rid itself of the opium business and that long hard fight will have been for nothing if Americans bring the drink habit to the Chinese.

An article telling why one Englishman is to send his son to an American college and one giving Dr. Wood's opinion of alcohol as a medicine and the diseases it causes when used otherwise were used and then the meeting adjourned.

GROTON

Mrs. I. N. Hall, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Fenton Miles of Topsham, left Thursday for Concord, N. H., on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Carl Nelson.

Charles Heath returned to his home in Boston Thursday, after visiting relatives here during the week.

Mrs. Ella M. Pillsbury has been visiting relatives in Barre several days this week.

C. J. Bailey returned from his trip to Boston and Kingston on Thursday. P. A. Smith was a business visitor in Plainfield on Thursday.

G. E. Wood and R. D. Sherry of St. Johnsbury and Leslie Thornton of Barre were in town yesterday on business connected with the commissioners' meeting on the estate of the late B. S. Eastman.

Methodist-Episcopal church—Rev. Stead Thornton, pastor, Sunday morning service at the usual hour. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Sunday school at noon. Evening service at 7:30. Midweek service Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and children, who are visiting at James Smith's, went to St. Johnsbury yesterday for the week end.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thurston recently met with peculiar accidents. Mildred, the youngest one, fell from her highchair around ten days ago and broke her arm. Last week Sylvanus, an older child, fell from a neighbor's porch, also sustaining a broken arm. Both of the little folks are recovering satisfactorily.

The annual Sunday school picnic of the Methodist church was held Wednesday at the Dunnet grounds at Ricker's mill. A large number attended, some going by train, others by autos and still others by team. The weather was perfect for a day in the open and all joined in for a good time. Not only the children enjoyed the day but the older ones as well.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Caldwell and children are taking a carriage drive to points in the southern part of New Hampshire to visit relatives.

RANDOLPH

Mrs. H. E. Rand of Leominster, Mass., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Morse since last Friday, returned to her home on Thursday.

Mrs. Carrie Paige, who has been at Northfield on a visit with friends, returned here on Thursday and will be with Mrs. Cora Robbins and Miss Carrie Lillie for a few days.

Mrs. Fannie Vinton of Melrose Highlands, Mass., and has been at Clarence Webb's for a few days, came here on Thursday to visit Mrs. Ella Lamb at the home of Mrs. W. B. Vill and Mrs. E. D. Strong.

Arthur Galarneau of Windsor, whose family is passing several days at Fairlee lake, was in town Thursday.

J. P. Williams is taking a two-weeks vacation from his duties at the postoffice. Miss F. Harriette Hayward received her commission as postmistress of this town the first of the week, taking effect Aug. 22, for a term of four years. E. J. O'Brien, who has been acting postmaster since December 1, will leave the office this week.

Gifford Moore, having employment in White River Junction, was at the home of his mother, Mrs. Alice Moore, over Sunday. He went from here to Rochester, where he expects to work for a time.

James Race, recently discharged from service, with the 7th division, 66th infantry, at Camp Meade, has been with his mother, Mrs. Peter Meylette, for a few days.

Donovan Jones of Newbury was here Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jones, and on his return they accompanied him to Newbury for a few days stay.

Miss Eona Totman is passing her vacation from the Thomas store, in Tunbridge with her parents.

Romeo Ferland of Pike River, P. Q., has been assigned to permanent duty here as telegraph operator.

E. F. Briggs is much improved in health, being at present able to go up stairs and is quite comfortable.

Mrs. R. H. Ordway and two daughters are passing the week in Boston with relatives.

L. H. Paine is in South Royalton for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fowler.

Mrs. Marion Rummell visited at A. L. Judd's in South Strafford last week.

Frank George Copeland, only son of Mrs. Mattie Copeland, and Miss Mildred May McDermott, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McDermott, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage Saturday evening. The couple left at once for Milton where they will visit Mr. Copeland's sister, Mrs. Jacobs. Mr. and Mrs. Copeland are both employed in the novelty factory, where Mrs. Copeland is the bookkeeper. They will reside here and for the present will board with Mrs. F. E. Kidder, Mrs. Kidder being Mr. Copeland's sister.

The funeral of the late A. J. Foster was held from the Methodist church on Friday forenoon, Rev. R. H. Moore officiating, assisted by Rev. Joseph Hamilton of White River Junction, a friend and former pastor. The service consisted of reading of the Scriptures and prayer, with remarks by both pastors, and in addition, a hymn was sung by Dr. A. C. Bailey. Besides the daughter, husband and granddaughter there were several friends from out of town among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Field from Northfield. The body was taken to Chelsea for burial beside his wife who passed away about three months ago.

Mrs. Florence Osteyee of Poultny arrived here on Friday and is the guest of Mrs. Albert Morse for a few days while visiting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Prichard of Waterbury, Conn., arrived here Friday and are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Holden.

N. C. Buck, Leon Pones, George Roger and Will St. Lawrence went to Northfield to visit the Odd Fellows lodge there, this being the official visitation of Mr. Buck.

Mrs. Marion Richardson and daughter went to Northfield Friday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Blanche Prince and daughter of Brattleboro are in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Tilton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Chadwick of Concord, N. H., are passing a few days here with Mrs. May Goodheart who is the sister of Mr. Chadwick.

Frank Kidder is greatly improving his residence on the Highlands by the addition of a piazza.

Miss A. C. Northrop of New York city is passing several days here with her brother, O. P. Northrop, and wife.

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STOWE

Among the premium winners from Stowe at the Lamson Valley fair at Morrisville, P. A. Vondle took two sweepstakes, seven first premiums, three second and three third on a herd of 18 head of Ayrshires. The sweepstakes were for best cow over three years and best bull over two. First premiums included Ayrshire cow, bull, yearling bull, two-year-old two-year-old heifer, yearling heifer and calf; second included senior herd and calves and third calves. R. A. Wells took eight premiums on a herd of nine head of Holsteins, first on Chester White sow and pigs, first on sow and first on boar pig; Mrs. R. A. Wells took first on Pekin ducks and first on white Flemish giant rabbits; L. C. Sargent took first each on Durham milking shorthorn yearling bull and heifer and A. B. Weeks took second each on Durham milking short horn yearling bull and heifer.

Mrs. Lena Brown went Friday to Burlington for an X-ray examination for the trouble with her hip which has confined her to the use of crutches for some time.

Mrs. Orpha McMahon has returned from a visit of several weeks in Enfield, N. H., and with her daughter, Miss Mildred, has gone to housekeeping in P. A. Raymond's house.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Barrows and daughter, Miss Dorothy, were in Burlington Friday.

Mrs. Polly Cliffe and little daughter, Ruth, are visiting her sister, Mrs. E. J. Houston, at Cady's Falls.

Miss Grace Bigelow was in Morrisville Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Jones has been passing the week at her home in Hyde Park.

Theodore Wells is enjoying a vacation from his duties at the C. E. and F. O. Burt Co.'s store.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Harris and family of Bellows Falls are visiting Mr. Harris parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay McCuen of Waterbury spent Friday in Stowe.

E. E. Wright of the Public Electric Lighting Co. of Fairfax joined his family here Thursday for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. McCarthy and daughter, Miss Ruth McCarthy, returned on Friday to Boston, after visiting relatives here. They were accompanied by Mrs. Frank McCarthy, who will visit friends in Boston and vicinity and Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leavitt and son, R. A. Leavitt, of Lebanon, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leavitt and children, Gladys and Warren, of Boston have visited Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Shaw this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hamel and son, Donald, who have visited Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Spaulding, have returned to New Haven, Conn., and Mrs. E. M. Richmond has returned to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gale, L. L. Harris and Mrs. C. E. Nelson motored to Burlington Friday.

There were 87 couples present at the dance given by Carroll's orchestra at the Memorial building Friday evening.

Just Look at the Saturday Bargains

Good Creamery Butter, lb. 46c
Good Dairy Butter lb. 46c
Strictly fresh Eggs, doz. 46c
14 lbs. Sugar \$1.00
10 cakes Laundry Soap, 50c
10 cakes Star Soap, 65c
10 cakes Babbitt Soap, 60c
Good can Peaches, 30c
Large can Tomato Soup, 10c
Not more than 5 cans to a customer.
Good Apples, pk. 30c
Fancy can Peas, 20c
5 Seedless Grapefruit, 25c
12 good Oranges, 40c
One-eighth Pillsbury's Flour, at \$1.35
Good Western Steak, lb. 30c
Rib Roast Beef, per lb. 25c
Beef to boil lb. 10c, 12c, 16c
Roast Pork, lb. 28c, 30c
Frankforts Pressed Ham, Boiled Ham, etc.
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Sugar, per lb. 6 1/2c
Pure Lard, per lb. 15c
3 lb. pail Lard, 45c
Compound Lard, per lb. 13c
Pure Cider Vinegar per gal 32c
Heinz White Vinegar, gal. 30c
Heinz Pork and Beans, big can, for 15c
Heinz Pork and Beans, medium can 10c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, per can 11c
Minced meat, 3 pkgs for 25c
Snider Tomato Soup, 3 for 25c
Fancy American Tomato Soup, 3 for 25c
10 lbs. Fine Oatmeal 45c
10 lbs. Rolled Oats for 45c
Big pkg Rolled Oats 25c
2 loaves Bread 21c
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MORETOWN

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Atkins and Mrs. Ella Talbot were in Burlington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lee of Bristol visited at D. F. Lee's over the week end.

Several from here attended the chaquetaus at Montpelier.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sawyer and Mrs. Addie Sawyer were in Bath, N. H., Sunday. Their little niece, Catherine Sawyer, returned with them for an indefinite stay.

Miss Muriel Shea of West Lebanon, N. H., is visiting her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Griffith, Mrs. J. V. Pierce and Mrs. H. E. Austin were in Montpelier Saturday to attend the funeral of Arthur Clark.

There will be no service at the Methodist church Sunday, owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. Fred Sellars.

W. H. Clark has traded his automobile for a new Willys-Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baird visited in Waitsfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Guild of Burlington are spending a portion of their honeymoon with Mrs. Guild's sisters, Mrs. W. A. Kingsbury and Mrs. F. S. Howes.

The Moretown A. C. went to St. Johnsbury Thursday morning, where they played ball in the afternoon and also played at Lyndonville Friday.

E. V. Keyes of East Brantree is visiting at G. G. and G. H. Sleeper's.

SOUTH BARRE

Mrs. Charles Ellenwood, who has been visiting her son, Percy Ellenwood, has returned to her home in the city.

A number from here attended the Morrisville fair Thursday.

Guy Howard was in West Burke one day this week to visit his father and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer King and family leave soon for Fitchburg, Mass., where they will make their home.

Farmers about here plan to begin filling their silos about the first of next month.

Mrs. George Porter and granddaughter, Miss Ula Cutler, have gone to Marshfield to visit relatives.

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Fine Granulated Sugar, 100 lbs. for \$6.50
Sugar, 10 lbs. for 69c
Creamery Butter, per lb. 50c
Cream Cheese, per lb. 25c
Mardigras Tea, per lb. 25c
Elbow Spaghetti, 3 pkgs. 25c
Good Prunes, 3 lbs. 25c
Royal Club Coffee, 35c
One Bar Palmolive free
Mount Vernon Coffee, lb. 38c
One pkg. Tea free.
Sweet Corn, 2 cans for 25c
Tomato Soup, 3 cans for 25c
Frankforts, per lb. 18c
Lava Soap, 6 bars for 25c
None Better Naphtha Soap, 4 bars for 25c
Gloss Starch, 3 pkgs for 25c
Swift's Pride Soap, 4 cakes 25c
Fresh lot White House Coffee, per lb. 35c
Yellow Cling Peaches, can 25c
Evaporated Milk, 2 cans. 25c
Good Roast Beef, lb. 25c
Gal. can Apple 50c
Good meaty Potatoes, pk. 40c
Good Cooking Apples, pk. 20c
Fancy Sliced Pineapples, No. 3 can 35c
Fancy Grated Pineapple, No. 3 can, at 26c
Van Camp's Soups, 4 cans 25c
Apples, per pk. 19c

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Big Bargains for Saturday

10 lbs. Sugar for 67c
Eggs, doz 42c
Pineapples, preserves, value 40c, now 29c
Assorted Campbell's Soups 10c
2 pkgs Minced meat for 24c
Pink Salmon, can 15c
Campbell's Beans, 2 for 24c
White House Coffee, per 35c
Compound Coffee, lb. 23c
Pure Lard, bulk, lb. 14c
Compound Lard, No. 5 pail 60c
Evaporated Milk, 2 for 25c
Lenox Soap, 6 for 25c
Broken Rice, 4 for 25c
Good Native Potatoes, pk. 39c
Lipton Tea, 3 pkgs for 25c
Also Good Fancy Fruit
Sunkist Oranges, doz. 25c
Lemons value 60c, now 39c
Grapefruit, each 10c
Ice Cream, quart 55c
Pints 30c
Cones 8c, 5c
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SOUTH WOODBURY

Mrs. F. L. Beers and daughter, Ella, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the guests of Mrs. R. B. Tassie for a week.

Rev. E. E. Wells will preach at the Congregational church Sunday afternoon, Aug. 28, at 2:30. Rev. F. L. Stacy is taking a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. R. B. Tassie and guests, Mrs. Beers and daughter, visited relatives and friends in Plainfield and Cabot on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cate of Calais were callers at W. B. Goodell's Tuesday.

A. L. Haskell and A. P. Ainsworth attended the field day exercises at Willoughby lake last Saturday.

Judge and Mrs. C. H. Dana of Montpelier were callers at A. Ainsworth's last Sunday.

The musical entertainment given by the Wells family last Tuesday night, under the auspices of the grange and the ladies' aid, was well attended. It was a fine entertainment and much enjoyed by all present.

J. C. Brown, who has been spending a few weeks at W. B. Goodell's, returned to his home in Fitchburg, Mass., last Friday.

Mrs. Frank Howland and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wells of Barre and Rev. Charles Wells of Newark, N. J., were callers at W. B. Goodell's on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Simons and son, Robert, of Williamstown were callers in the place Sunday.

Mrs. Allie Carr of Hardwick was a guest of Mrs. Myrtle Lance last Tuesday and Wednesday.

A good number from here attended the fair at Morrisville.

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Good Values for Saturday

National Cookies in bulk or packages. We have them fresh every week.
Graham Crackers, per lb 18c
SPECIAL—Palmolive Soap, per cake, .9c; 10 cakes 85c
Good No. 6 Brooms, each. 55c
Holmes' Bread, per loaf. 12c
Cross' Bread, per loaf 12c
Two loaves for 23c
Smith Co. Bread 12c; two 23c
A few more cans of Strawberries, No. 1 and 2 size cans, each 20c and 30c
Pumpkin, No. 3 can. 13c
Two for 25c
Caspian Lake Creamery Butter, best in the city, sold only by J. A. Field.
No. 25 Roasted Coffee, lb. 25c
Mount Vernon Coffee, lb. 33c
Mardi-Gras Coffee, per lb. 36c
White House Coffee, per lb. 36c
Royal Club Coffee, per lb. 35c
All Standard Soaps, cake. 7c
Ten cakes for 65c
Granite City Creamery Butter, none better.
Jersey Cornflakes, per package 9c; 3 for 25c
Sweet Potatoes, per lb. 10c
3 lbs. 25c
We sell real Ice Cream.
Texaco Products, Kerosene and Motor Oils at a low price. Many other good grades. All good, No. 1 quality.
Gasoline, gal. 27c
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Bargains for Saturday

Fancy Creamery Butter, lb 48c
Strictly Fresh Eggs nearby 48c
Good Potatoes, mealy, pk. 40c
Y. E. Beans, per lb. 10c
3 lbs. Good Rice per lb. 25c
Good Coffee lb. 30c, 35c
Uncolored Jap Tea, lb. 45c
Ceylon Tea 45c
Good Western Round Steak, per lb. 30c
Good Western chuck Beef, per lb. 20c
Good Western Rib Roast of Beef, per lb. 25c
Pork Roasts of nice fresh Loin.
Frankforts, per lb. 19c
One-quart jar Queen Olives 50c
Honey in quart jars made by Geo. E. Johnson, the best you can buy, per quart. 95c
Pint 50c
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SOUTH RYEGATE

The ball game between South Ryegate and Groton last Saturday at the Groton field was stopped at the end of the eighth inning by a thunder shower, but it was conceded that South Ryegate won, as the score stood 9 to 2 in their favor.

William J. Darling and family, who have been spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Darling, started for their home in Niagara Falls Monday morning by automobile.

Hilbert Samuelson, his son, Carl, and daughter, Miss Ella Smith, are on a trip to Boston this week in their car.

Rev. and Mrs. William Martyn of Middlebury, Mass., spent some days with their sister, Mrs. George Crowe, this week. Accompanied by Mrs. Crowe, they made a trip to the White Mountains Tuesday.

James Craig has disposed of his Paige car and is driving a fine new Dodge this week.

The young people are preparing a tennis court on the schoolhouse ground, for which funds were raised by a supper some weeks ago.

Frank Gibson, with a party of friends, together with Henry Goodine and Jay Garvin, visited the Lost river region in the White mountains Thursday. Some of the party climbed Cannon mountain to get a new view of the Old Man of the Mountain, whose profile appears near the summit.

Paul Park is on a visit to his cousin, Franklin McColl, at Townshend.

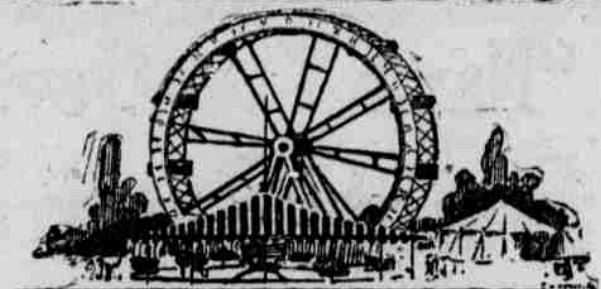
Dr. H. G. Randall and family of Springfield, Mass., are spending a few weeks revisiting old scenes and friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Emma Taisey is this week entertaining her brother, J. C. Miller, from Philadelphia, whom she had not seen for twenty years.

A party of ten young people of the United Presbyterian church climbed Blue mountain Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Gibson, William Gibson and the Misses Caroline and Mary Gibson made a trip to Portland, Old Orchard and York Beach this week.

A ball game was played at East Barre Wednesday between the local team and East Barre, which resulted in defeat, the score being 10 to 2.



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Bananas per lb. 9c
Oranges doz., from 20c to 60c
Lemons, doz., from 28c to 45c
Grapes, per basket. 23c to 35c
Grapes, per lb. 20c to 30c
Pears, Peaches and Plums at very low prices.

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Popcorn, lb. 10c, 3 lbs. 25c
Laundry Soap, 10 bars for 65c
Sugar, 10 lbs. 67c
Margoli Tea, pkg 10c; 3 for 25c
Goblin Soap, 10 cakes. 50c
Babbitt's Soap, 10 cakes for 50c
Lenox Soap, 10 cakes for 50c
White House Coffee, lb. 35c
Roasted Beef a can. 25c
Bread